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| | For: | METHOD FOR PROLONGING CRT SCREEN LIFE BY REDUCED HOSPHOR BURNING |)))) | | JAN 0 8 2002 nnology Center 2800 |
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PRELIMIARY AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks:

Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Kindly amend the within application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Kindly amend claims 1 and 10 as set forth in the attached exhibit A. Clean copies of these amended claims are attached as exhibit B.

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